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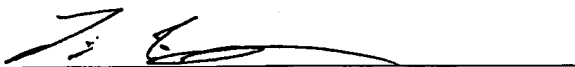
Claims 1-20 are pending in the application. Claims 9-10 have been withdrawn. In the Office Action dated December 30, 2005, the Examiner allowed claims 11-20, rejected claims 1 and 3-8 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Suzuki in view of Sasaki in view of Jonasz, and objected claim 2 as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but containing allowable subject matter.

In this amendment, claim 1 has been amended to include the limitation of original claim 2, which the Examiner indicated contained allowable subject matter. Claim 7 has been amended for clarity in light of the amendment to claim 1, from which it depends. No new matter was added; see at least paragraph [0064]. Claims 2, 5, and 8-10 have been canceled. Rejected claims 3, 4, 6, and 7 depend from amended claim 1.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes all claims now pending in this application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Authorization is granted to charge any outstanding fees due at this time for the continued prosecution of this matter to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 (matter no. 060943-0048).

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